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STAR THEATRE
TODAY
ELSIE FERGUSON
in
Lady Rose's Daugh.
A story of Society and
Thrills
And a fast Comedy of
Explosions and Laughter
"Dynamite"

DENY R. R. PERMISSION TO CUT WAGES

REGULATIONS AND RULES OF WATER COMPANY BEFORE P. S. COMMISSION

Hearing on Service Here An-
nounced by President Patter-
son for March Term

RUMORED REHEARING ON
RATES MAY BE ASKED

Municipalities May Seek to Have
the Rate Revision Ques-
tion Reopened.

Rules and regulations of the Ala-
bama Water company, covering its
service to patrons in Albany and De-
cat, will be the subject of a hearing
before the Alabama Public Service
Commission on March 7, according to
official advice received here today.

W. W. Callahan, city attorney of
Decatur, explained this morning that
when the petition for an increase in
water rates was pending, the com-
pany also was asking for certain
changes in their rules and regulations
here. It was the understanding of the
representatives of the municipalities,
Mr. Callahan stated, that the proposed
changes were to be submitted to the
representatives of the Twin Cities in
order that they might study them and
ascertain whether or not the changes
were acceptable.

"Much to our amazement, however,
when the copy of the commission's
decision was received, we found that
the rules and regulations were includ-
ed in the decision," Mr. Callahan de-
clared.

Several individuals, it is said, have
filed protests against the new rules
and the hearing on March 7 is the
result.

The following is the order of the
commission:

Alabama Public Service Com-
mission vs. Alabama Water Company.

Citation: To show cause why cer-
tain of your rules and regulations in
the cities of Decatur and Albany, Ala-
bama, should not be modified or chang-
ed. Docket 4027.

The above petition will be heard by
this commission at its regular March
term, namely, Monday March 7, 1921,
at its offices in Montgomery, Ala-
bama.

By order of and in the name of A. G.
Patterson, President, this 8th day
of February, 1921.

ATTICUS MULLIN,
Secretary.

Following receipt of the order re-
garding a hearing on the company's
rules and regulations, it was rumored
here this afternoon that the munici-
palities may seek to reopen the rate
question.

TENNESSEE RISING, 21 FT. STAGE DUE

As a result of the heavy rains
throughout its watershed, the Ten-
nessee river today was rising rapid-
ly and a stage of 21 feet was expect-
ed here by Sunday afternoon, accord-
ing to the government bulletin.

The bulletin follows:
Chattanooga river 23.2, rainfall 1.54;
Bridgeport river 14.8, rainfall 1.75;
Guntersville river 20.3, rainfall 1.25

STABILIZING DEVICE WILL KEEP SHIPS AT SEA ON "EVEN KEEL"

Rough Waves Will be Unable to Rock Boats
Equipped With the Stabilizer

(International News Service)
WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—A stabil-
izing device, guaranteed by its invent-
or to prevent ships from rolling, even
in the roughest sea, is now under con-
sideration by the Navy Department
and probably will be adopted eventu-
ally, it was learned today.

This device, which is the work of
Elmer E. Sperry, inventor of the gyro-
scopic compass now in use on
most naval vessels, also is based up-
on the principle of the gyroscope.
Naval officials said today the stabil-
izer had been tried out on several naval
vessels of different types and there
can be no doubt of its eventual suc-
cess. While the stabilizer will, un-
doubtedly, greatly alleviate, if not al-
together prevent seasickness in rough
weather, it is not primarily on this
account that the navy is interested.

The rolling of a ship interferes seri-
ously with accuracy of gun fire and a
vessel which stays on an even keel has
a great advantage in battle over an
enemy craft that is at the mercy of
the waves.

ROBBERS WORK ON OVERTIME IN TWIN CITIES

With three robberies of Twin City
stores on their files together with
two attempted hold-ups, the police of
Albany and Decatur, and with the
force of Sheriff May, today were
at work to check in its incipency an
infant crime wave here.

Thieves last night entered the
stores of J. S. Patterson, W. W. Gar-
nett and Green Grocery company,
while an attempt to hold up a street
car at the cemetery switch failed be-
cause of the courage of the motor-
man, J. B. Nichols. An attempt to
rob Phillip Humphrey also was a fail-
ure. Mr. Humphrey, who was walk-
ing on Lee street was called upon to
halt, but instead got in a passing au-
tomobile, stepped on the gas and drove
to safety.

According to reports from the office
of the North Alabama Traction com-
pany this morning Motorman Nichols
was in charge of a street car making
the "loop" run through West Al-
bany and Decatur about 9:30 o'clock
last night. Just as the cemetery curve
was reached the trolley slipped off.
Mr. Nichols raised the window to
readjust the trolley rope when a voice

GIANT NEGRO DIES AFTER SCRAPPING HUNDREDS OF COPS

(International News Service)

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 10.—
Two hundred and fifty police reserves
surrounded a house in Fagin place
early today where "Alabama Joe," a
giant negro, had barricaded himself
and after a battle lasting nearly five
hours broke into the room where the
fugitive was hiding and riddled his
body with bullets. Three patrolmen
were shot during the siege.

Earlier in the morning, after the
negro had killed an unidentified ne-
gro woman in the house, he went to
another room where he defied the po-
lice. He had two revolvers and hun-
dreds of rounds of ammunition. Fire-
men assisted the police, streams of
water from lines of hose being swept
through the house, breaking windows
in an effort to subdue the negro.

After the place had been riddled
by hundreds of bullets a patrolman
finally broke through the door and
emptied his revolver into the negro's
body and threw him into the street.

Civil Service Exam To Be Held Here

A civil service examination to se-
cure eligibles for clerks and carriers
at the Albany postoffice will be held
March 5th in Albany, having been or-
dered by the Civil Service Commission
at the request of Postmaster Alexan-
der. Full information about the ex-
amination may be obtained from Se-
cretary Gentry of the local civil ser-
vice board.

RETURNS LACKING ON STATE ELECTION

(International News Service)
MONTGOMERY, Ala., Feb. 10.—
Only scattering incomplete and unof-
ficial returns have been received up
until noon today on the two proposed
constitutional amendments voted up-
on in Tuesday's special election.

State officials say that it probably
will be probably necessary to await
the official returns and canvass by the
state election board before the definite
results will be known. In Madison
Dalls, Bulter and Elmore counties the
vote seems to have been for both
amendments. Montgomery county's
vote was favorable to both measures.
Mobile county reports are incom-
plete. In Coosa county the vote was
very close but complete returns will
not be available until Friday.

American Legion Will Meet Tonight

The regular meeting of the Amer-
ican Legion will be held at 7:30 o'clock
tonight at the Decatur city hall, Ad-
jutant Joseph M. Pettet announced
today. Post Commander McGregor
has a number of important issues to
bring before the meeting, it was said,
and a large attendance was urged.

GOVERNOR KILBY SUGGESTS 2 PLANS FOR ENDING STRIKE IN THE COAL FIELD

Statement on Situation is Made
Public by the State's
Executive

CONFERENCE FAILED
TO GET ANY RESULTS

Recognition of Union or With-
drawal of Labor Leaders
Suggested

(Montgomery Bureau Albany-
Decatur Daily)

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Feb. 10.—
It is Governor Thomas E. Kilby's
opinion that the coal strike in the
Alabama mining districts is practical-
ly at an end. The Governor's opinion
to this effect is contained in a state-
ment on the situation in the strike
zone, issued Wednesday morning. He
states that he has recently been in
communication with representatives of
the coal miners' organization and the
coal operators of the state in an ef-
fort to bring about a settlement of
their differences. No results were
obtained, however, he says, and he be-
lieves any further effort to bring
about an agreement between the op-
erators and the United Mine Workers
of America, would be wasted.

The only difference existing be-
tween the operators and the striking
miners, the Governor states, is the
question of recognition by the op-
erators of the union known as the United
Mine Workers of America. The
chief executive stated he can see only
2 possible immediate remedies for the
existing situation:

1. "Recognition, direct or indirect,
of the United Mine Workers of Amer-
ica by the coal operators."

2. "Publication of a statement by
the Alabama labor leaders and their
attorneys to the effect that they will
not counsel the violation of the law
of Alabama through picketing and oth-
erwise, and that all workmen would
be allowed to pursue their vocation
without intimidation or relaxation,
followed by the immediate withdrawal
from Alabama of the leaders of the
United Mine Workers of America and
other labor agitators from other states."

Governor Kilby states that there is
no law on the statute books of Ala-
bama to force adoption of either plan
suggested, the only force that can be
used being that of public opinion and
he hopes the people will speak in
plain, positive and unmistakable
terms.

Although the receiver of the Mont-
gomery Light and Water Power Com-
pany operated in January under an
increase in gas rates granted by the
public service commission, he report-
ed to the commission today that the
net deficit during last month from the
gas and electric service was \$17,477.20.
The electric department reported net
earnings of \$8,791.89, while the gas
department had an actual deficit of
\$3,461.86.

However, the total interest charges
on bonds and other indebtedness for
the month was \$22,817.15, leaving the
actual deficit of \$17,477.20.

The Robinson Carburetor Company
of Birmingham will be permitted to
dispose of ten thousand shares of
stock in Alabama. Its position was
granted by the state securities com-
mission today with the announcement
that the permit for the sale of stock
in Alabama. Its petition was granted
by the state securities commission to-
day with the announcement that the
permit for the sale of stock would be
issued as soon as the company has met
all requirements of the blue sky act.

Governor Kilby will not issue a call
for a special election in the fourth
congressional district for the selec-
tion of a successor of Congressman
Fred L. Blackmon, who died in Flori-
da Tuesday morning, until official no-
tice of the vacancy has been received
from the house of representatives. He
made this statement today.

Governor Kilby is expected to allow
a sufficient time for a campaign in
the district in order that all persons

NATIONAL AGREEMENT UPHELD AND RAILROAD WORKERS WIN SWEEPING VICTORY IN CHICAGO

(International News Service)

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—Railway em-
ployes throughout the United States
won a sudden and dramatic victory
over the railroads today when the
United States Railway Labor board
flatly refused to grant the plea of the
railways for abrogation of the na-
tional agreement and permission to
reduce wages of railway workers.

The decision of the board was a
complete denial of all that the rail-
way executives have contended for.

The decision came as a climax to
weeks of hearing and was a complete
surprise to Frank P. Walsh, general
counsel for the railroad brotherhoods
and B. M. Jewell, head of the rail-
road department of the American Fed-
eration of Labor.

Jewell was just preparing to pre-
sent to the board a statement in sup-
port of his contention that the roads
should not be permitted to reduce
wages of their employees.

The board holding that it could not
assume jurisdiction in the plea, pre-
sented on behalf of the railroads by
W. W. Atterbury, vice president of
the Pennsylvania system, announced
through Judge R. M. Barton, its chair-
man, the following conclusion:

"It is the judgment of the board,
therefore, that the request of the
railroads executives for the termina-
tion of the existing rules must be and
is, accordingly, denied. The board
must also deny the request of the
Association of Railway Executives, as
presented by the chairman of the la-
bor committee, that that much of 'de-
cision' as fixes wages for unskilled
labor be set aside and prevailing rates
of wages in the various territories
covered by any carriers substituted."

The decision of the board means
that railroads must continue to deal
with employees according to rules
drafted during the life of the United
States Railroad Administration and
known as the National Agreement.

Wage scales fixed by this agreement
remain in effect, despite the plea of
the roads that to continue the present
basis of wages meant bankruptcy for
the rail transportation system of the
country.

One Cent Verdict For Slap in Face

(International News Service)

WHEELING, W. Va., Feb. 10.—A
\$5,000 damage suit arising from a slap
in the face has finally been settled
here by a jury verdict of one cent
after the case had dragged through
the courts for nearly two years.

John Tennison was the plaintiff and
Elmer Riggs the defendant. They met
on the Wheeling Creek bridge in July,
1919, became involved in an argument,
and Riggs is said to have slapped
Tennison's face. He had the latter
arrested and appeared against him in
Magistrate J. J. Gomer's Court,
where Tennison was fined \$5 and
costs. Tennison then brought suit for
\$5,000 damages in Circuit Court, where
a jury has just terminated the long-
drawn-out proceedings by awarding
the plaintiff one cent damages.

who desire to enter the contest and
submit their platforms to the voters
may do so. There is no urgent need
for the filling of the vacancy because
there is no immediate prospect of an
extra session of the House. The extra
session of the Senate called by Presi-
dent Wilson at the request of Presi-
dent-elect Harding does not require
members of the lower house to assem-
ble.

T. A. McWilliams, of Jefferson coun-
ty, who has been on a temporary
parole for several months, was grant-
ed a permanent parole conditioned on
his future good conduct by Governor
Kilby today. McWilliams was con-
victed in 1914 of assault with intent
to murder and sentenced to serve
twenty years.

J. T. Adams, of Enterprise, was ap-
pointed a member of the jury com-
mission of Coffee county by Governor
Kilby today. His term will expire
January 1, 1924.

The bankrupt stock of Charles Sil-
verman, valued at \$40,000, announce-
ment of the purchase of which was
made several days ago by S. E. Ory,
will be placed on sale by Mr. Ory, he
announced today in a double-page
spread in The Daily.

The sale will be one of the largest
here in recent years, Mr. Ory declared.
The Silverman store, located at Hart-

ADMIRAL PROBES DESTRUCTION OF PLANT BY MARINES

(International News Service)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Admiral
Byron, commanding the Navy's spe-
cial service squadron was today
ordered to proceed at once on his flag-
ship the U. S. S. Dolphin from Pan-
ama to investigate there the destruc-
tion of a newspaper plant by United
States marines.

Confirmation of the demolition of
the newspaper plant by the Ameri-
cans was received by the Navy De-
partment today in a report from Cap-
tain Underhill, commandant of the
legation guard at Managua.

RECRUITING ENDS, OFFICE IS CLOSED

With recruiting for the army tempo-
rarily at an end, because of the pas-
sage of the measure cutting down the
strength of the army to 175,000 men,
preparations were being made today
to close the Decatur office.

Major Weyland, of Birmingham,
was here yesterday to aid in checking
the local accounts. Corporal Vancil,
who has been attached to the local
station, left this morning for Camp
Jackson, Sergeant John McGuire,
who has been in charge of the station,
will remain here several days longer
to formally close the office.

When the order came for discon-
tinuing the recruiting campaign yes-
terday several applicants for admis-
sion into the service were in the re-
cruiting office in the Federal building,
ready for their examination. The
would-be soldiers hailed from Athens.
They were returned to their homes.

Bowling Alley to Be Open Tonight

Because the scheduled game, be-
tween the American Telephone and
Telegraph company and Albany-De-
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o'clock this afternoon, the bowling
alley will be open tonight, the Y. M. C.
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Two Outfits Are Taken in Raids

A copper still was captured by De-
puties Stewart and Wiley in a raid
three miles north of Trinity, they re-
ported to Sheriff May this morning.
No arrests were made.

The same officers captured an outfit
near Lacom yesterday, making two
arrests, they stated.

Dreaded Disease Appears on Ship

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Three deaths
from typhus and 20 cases of typhus
among the 1,375 passengers on the
Italian liner San Giulio, which ar-
rived here today from Trieste and
Naples were announced by Dr. Leland
Coffer, port health officer at quaran-
tine. Because of the prevalence of the
dread fever aboard the ship, the ves-
sel will be held in quarantine, Dr.
Coffer said.

\$40,000 BANKRUPT STOCK TO BE PLACED ON SALE BY ORY

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BELGIANS FIGHTING WITH INHABITANTS OF GERMAN TOWN

(International News Service)

LONDON, Feb. 10.—Serious fight-
ing has broken out between the Bel-
gian army of occupation in Germany
and the inhabitants of Aix-la-Chap-
elle according to advices received
here this afternoon. A Belgian patrol
fired upon a crowd of persons in the
streets, wounding several of them.

BLAME FOR 'FAKE' CABLE IS PLACED

(International News Service)

LONDON, Feb. 10.—The British
foreign office officially informed the
British press today that the United
Press, an American news agency, was
solely responsible for the "fake"
cablegram which resulted in the An-
glo-American war scare. All other
news services and newspapers were
exonerated. The British press now
accepts it as a fact that the "high
personage" who gave an audience to
the American correspondents at the
foreign office on Monday was Sir
Auckland Geddes, British am-
bassador to the United States.

Sir Auckland Geddes had intended
the conference to be the means of
promoting closer understanding be-
tween the British and American peo-
ples. It was for that reason that he
emphasized the fact that war between
Great Britain and the United States
is not only impossible, but unthink-
able.

GIVES LAST DOLLAR FOR AID OF KIDDIES

"A man met me on the street and
asked if I was the man who was col-
lecting money to feed some starving
children? I replied, yes."

"Well, here is two dollars, the
last money I have on earth. I have
little ones of my own, who God knows
they do not have all they should have
but they are not starving. Take this
and send it to the starving ones. If
you seek charity and mercy and pity
go to the poor."

E. C. PAYNE,
Chairman.

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Silverman Goods Are Purchased by Well Known Local Merchant

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NEW PASTIME FOR MARSHALL

Vice President Thomas R. Marshall announces he will embark upon the business of making money. The esteemed Vice President has spent the greater part of his life in politics, he frankly admits, and now as he enters his 67th year, an age when most men are retiring, he must needs begin laying up a supply of worldly goods.

Hard as it is to associate Marshall with anything but gladness, it is a pitiable picture he draws in his own inimitable style. His life has been spent in public service, but the reward has not given him sufficient compensation to enable him to rest upon his financial laurels.

It is another example of the poor returns from public life. Many enter politics, apparently, for the sole purpose of obtaining monetary remuneration, but the honest politician will be disappointed.

Undoubtedly there are ways of obtaining money in politics, but they are scorned by the honest man. Those who really serve their nation appear unable to do more than pay their running expenses. It is to be regretted that some method has not been devised for permitting men who have served as Marshall has served to be independent upon their retirement.

THE ROMANCE OF OIL

Oil and its development provides one of the colorful pages in the romance of America. Another chapter was written recently in Bowling Green, Ky. According to press reports an orphan girl grew to womanhood, making her home in the cabin home willed her by her foster-parents. Then the oil boom came. The precious product was found in great quantities on her little plot of ground. Today she is a millionaire. Truth, indeed, is stranger than fiction.

A NOVEL TANGLE

Louisiana officialdom is agog over a new legal tangle without precedent in the state as a result of the absent-mindedness of a county sheriff, who forgot to hand a prisoner on the day set for his execution.

The Attorney General doesn't know what to do, admits that he doesn't. That's another precedent, incidentally.

The Governor was appealed to, but passed the buck to the Attorney General. In the meantime the prisoner, who is due to be dead, but isn't, no doubt is a firm believer in the adage "while there's life there's hope." But for the tricky memory of the sheriff, he would be without hope today. Anyway you look at it, it's a novel tangle.

THE CHURCHES AND INDUSTRY

In Pittsburgh the Employers' Association has assailed the Y. M. C. A. for the action of its 1920 national convention, which indorsed the statement of social and industrial ideals framed by the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America. This action by the Employers' Association, intended to obstruct the raising of funds for the work of a local association, brings to the fore what is really a question of national importance. The issue is recognition of the right of religious bodies to interest themselves directly in social and industrial problems.

It needs to be clearly understood that the principles criticized in the attack on the Y. W. C. A. represent no special industrial program adopted by that organization. In assailing the Y. W. C. A. the Employers' Association of Pittsburgh is placing itself in opposition to a set of ideals carefully worked out through a period of over ten years by the Federal Council of Churches, finally adopted by that council in 1919 and indorsed by the Y. M. C. A. National Convention of that year. In these deliberations many employers took part as laymen. The Y. W. C. A. in 1920 simply approved what the two leading men's bodies of the Protestant Christian churches had already done. Their statement of principles does not go so far as various statements issued by the National Welfare Council of the Roman Catholic Church.

The attack in Pittsburgh is simply a local example of a movement which has been known to be under way for some time. It is in line with the drives against the Y. W. C. A. in Los Angeles and elsewhere, with criticisms of the Interchurch World Movement for its study of the steel strike, and with arguments raised in various gatherings and publications of groups of employers against "churchmen interfering in industry." To these objections the churches might well retort that while employers may understand more of the technical problems of industry, the churches claim to understand more of the general welfare of the community, and that where industry seems to be driving along lines apparently contrary to social health the church has not only the right but the duty to concern itself directly.

The letter of the Employers' Association of Pittsburgh spoke of safeguarding American progress and civilization. Yet the industrial ideals it assailed are only those which many of the more progressive employers are indorsing and putting into experimental practice in their attempts to get rid of labor conflicts and to make their enterprises run smoothly. Further, it is not particularly to the credit of a group of American business men to have picked out a women's organization for an attack without warning, aimed to defeat a campaign for funds for the general social service of this important women's institution.—New York Evening Post.

ARE YOU COMING TO THE WORLD COTTON CONFERENCE?

If so, it is dangerous not to make steamer and hotel reservations.

Although more than 300 inquiries and tentative reservations for the trip to the World Cotton Conference in Liverpool and Manchester, England, the week of June 13, have been received by H. L. Mulligan, 10 Congress Street, Boston, the official transportation agent, only a little more than 100 have clinched their reservations by making deposits for staterooms on the S. S. Adriatic, which sails June 1, and for rooms on the official hotels in Liverpool, Manchester and Southport. While this insures the attendance of an American delegation as large as that which came from England and other European countries to the New Orleans Conference in the fall of 1919, it is believed by officials of World Cotton Conference that many of those who intend to make the trip are delaying the placing of reservations because of present unsettled business conditions, and that there may be a rush at the last minute that will over-tax both steamer and hotel accommodations, and oblige many of the late comers to make the trip by other boats and to secure outside hotel accommodations at great inconvenience.

Those who made the trip to and from the New Orleans Conference from New York by special train appreciate that this was one of the pleasantest and most educational features of the Conference, and that merely leaving the train at the same point of view was the fact that the great majority of those who attended the Conference stopped at the two official hotels, the Hotel Gruenwald and the St. Charles, thus making it easily possible to locate those who were attending the conference. It is with these facts in mind that the officials of the World Cotton Conference have arranged for first-class accommodations on the S. S. Adriatic, sailing from New York June 1, sufficient for a party of about 250, and for hotel accommodations at the Adelphi, in Liverpool, the Midland in Manchester, and the Prince of Wales and one or two other hotels in the adjacent coast resort city of Southport. The latter is a short run by train, trolley or motor from both Liverpool and Manchester, and in view of its unusual attractions at that time of year will undoubtedly be preferred by many of those attending the Conference.

For most desirable staterooms on the Adriatic and rooms at the hotels it is going to be a case of first come first served, and those who do not make their reservations accompanied by a deposit during the next few weeks may not only be unable to secure desirable rooms on steamer and at the hotels, but may find it impossible to secure any of such accommodations. They can, of course take passage by other steamers and may stop at other hotels, but they will then be out of touch with the official American delegates and party and will lose some of the most valuable features of the trip and the Conference.

It is extremely important for officials of the Conference to have definite knowledge of those who are certain to attend from this country, because they will soon be obliged to complete appointments to the various committees and wish to make certain that only those who are sure of attending the Conference are named. They also consider it essential that all American officials and committee members shall make the trip on the S. S. Adriatic so that preliminary conferences and committee meetings can be held during the voyage. For those who go with the official party the business and social features of the Conference will start as soon as the Adriatic leaves New York, and in view of the fact that the officials, committee members and delegates who will make up the party will be among the most prominent men representing every branch of the cotton-growing and manufacturing industry in this country it is apparent that those who are unable to make the trip at that time will lose one of the most important features of the Conference.—The Textile World Journal.

It must have been a mighty thirst that caused thieves to drink the alcohol from the embalmed snakes in the University of Alabama museum.

And now comes another government official who opines that the boll weevil can't be gassed from his lodges in the cotton fields. It would endanger the lives of human inhabitants of the adjacent territory, the official fears. Uncle Sam's family seems to be unable to agree on the question.

Congress paid a merited tribute to Fred L. Blackmon, Alabama solon who died in Florida. Few Alabamians have done more for the state had did Congressman Blackmon.

Showers hurt the Mardi Gras celebration at New Orleans. It wasn't the character of wetness desired.

"Reveals German Plot that Failed"—headline. The same announcement was made on the morning of November 11, 1918.

The army staged a tank show in Washington recently. Since the advent of prohibition tank shows are becoming uncommon.

Ruth Gordon, who crowded first pages of newspapers because she had her legs broken in order that they might be re-set straight, expresses regret because of the publicity she received. Maybe there is an actress who doesn't care for publicity, maybe there is.

"Good Fellow" is Bob Dalton, ex-outlaw's opinion of President-elect Harding.

It is almost as well to have dishonorable intentions, as to have none at all.

Montgomery firemen added to the list of unusual happenings this week. They answered an alarm, took the truck along and allowed the thing to burn when gasoline, dripping from the tank, caught fire.

Painted girls in Birmingham will get their faces washed by the Magic City's new policewoman, she announces. A "masher" got his face slapped in the same city by an indignant young woman. The "chicken run" seems to be in danger of losing its popularity.

MORE PRUSSIAN SWAGGER

Says the Berlin Tageblatt, regarding the reparation decision of the supreme allied council:

"The action of the conference excites only curiosity and a certain degree of psychological interest. Germany will have the opportunity in Brussels and London to dissipate these gradiose pipe dreams. If these fine, fanciful dreamers want to find in us a willing prayer, they should come down from the clouds and put their feet on the earth again."

More or less true, from the American viewpoint, but extremely tactless on the part of the Tageblatt, considering the fact that Germany is wholly in the Allies' power. And that paper unfortunately seems to reflect the general attitude of the German government and people.

Germany will never get anywhere with the Allies by such procedure. A calm facing of facts and a fitting posture of humility would accomplish far more in the way of obtaining mercy from the Allies, instead of relentless justice.—Tuscaloosa News.

MOTION PICTURE STUDIOS ON COAST RESUME AFTER SLUMP

By C. E. HUGHES,
(International News Service Staff Correspondent)

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 10. — While the closing of large industrial plants in the East in the last few months has been felt in many ways in the economic world resulting in some communities in business depression, the temporary curtailment of production in the large motion picture studios here is said to have a beneficial effect and to have served a long-desired need.

Inquiries at the largest plants today showed that the lull which set in about two months ago is almost over, with most of the big organizations working at least 80 per cent of the time, and with some of them working full time even overtime. It was denied that large numbers of persons are out of employment as has been reported in news dispatches supposed to have emanated from this city.

W. J. Reynolds, secretary of the

Motion Picture

tion, said: "The motion picture industry is not other great curtail its business departments of the business was gradually parts of the as I understand actors' salaries are of all but organization. "One of recent slum will be night pro

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Tomorrow Alright
DILLEHAY BROS.

666 will break a Cold, Fever and
Grippe quicker than anything we
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Princess—Friday

A Day Supreme and Big
Thrills

Special Matinee Friday for the
Kiddies and Grown Ups. Come
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Bears and win a prize.

Some Comedy

Harold Lloyd

in

"Haunted Spooks"

A Million Dollar Comedy
Classic

William Fox presents

"BRIDE-13"

The Serial Supreme in
Fifteen episodes.

The picture of a thousand
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your breath. Action in every
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Thrills.

Pathe News

No Advance in Prices

DELITE—TODAY

Eileen Percy

The dainty little star in
"THE HUSBAND
HUNTER"

A sparkling and wholesome
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Saturday Evening Post story.

Also a extra good comedy

"Dare Devil Queen"

—Coming Tomorrow—

Lionel Barrymore

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"The Copperhead"

A soul-stirring picturization
of the play by
Augustus Thomas.

MIGHTY MOMENTS!

The "Copperhead's" oath to
President Lincoln.

His secret intrigues with
foes of the Union.

His fight in the clash of
"Copperheads" and "Yanks."

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Poultry Fence—fortified with the Union
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Horizontal bars are composed of two No.
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SOCIETY NEWS

Margaret C. Shelton—Phone 208-W Albany

CLUB CALENDAR

Thursday

Progressive Rook.....Mrs. M. L. Hardage
Thursday Rook.....Mrs. John Hamlin
Auction Club.....Mrs. J. H. Calvin
U. D. C., 3 P. M.....Mrs. F. R. Beason
Thursday Afternoon Bridge club.....Mrs. J. Chafin

Friday

Central School Improvement, 3 P. M.....Gordon School
Ferry Street Rook, 2:30 p. m.....Mrs. J. H. Calvin
Friday Night Club.....Mrs. Marvin Rankin
Friday Night Club.....Mrs. Chas. Hamlet
Friday Rook Club.....Mrs. H. T. Gill
Christian Women's Union, 10 a. m.....

Saturday

Flappers Card Club.....Miss Polly Robinson

MRS. W. B. MARKSTEN HOSTESS TO SILK STOCK- ING CLUB

Wednesday afternoon Mrs. W. B. Marksten entertained the Silk Stocking Club at her home, 411 Ferry street. For this meeting the Marksten home carried an artistic decoration in cut flowers, American beauty roses, sweet peas, and potted plants. Mrs. Rufus Pearson was the guest of honor. Stationary and the club prize late book fell to Mrs. J. W. Jones. The club guests were Mesdames J. Chaffin, Gordon McDuff, E. W. Godbey, J. W. Calvin and Rufus Pearson. At the close of the game Mrs. Marksten served a delightful plate luncheon.

MARRIED LADIES BRIDGE

The Married Ladies Bridge Club met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Dyke Echols as hostess.

The club membership was supplemented by a number of additional guests.

After counting up the score, the club prize a beautiful hand-made card table cover was awarded. Mrs. W. H. Driskill and Mrs. J. W. Cunningham won the box of Face Powder given as a guest prize.

CENTRAL SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT

The Central School Improvement Society will meet Friday afternoon at 8 o'clock at Gordon school. All patrons and interested friends of the school are invited to be present.

Mrs. Herbert Odum spent Wednesday in Town Creek.

The Christian Women's Union will meet with Mrs. H. T. Gill Friday evening at 10 o'clock, instead of with Mrs. T. A. Bowles as formerly announced.

Miss M. E. Harris has returned from Birmingham where she assisted Madam Ulman in the school of corsetry.

PERSONALS

W. B. Marksten is a business visitor to Huntsville today.

J. S. Sutherland, of Birmingham, assistant managing editor of "Powergrams" house organ of the Alabama Power Company, is in the cities today. According to Mr. Sutherland, "Powergrams" will shortly publish an illustrated story pertaining to this section.

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Grocer

Spring Coats Are Sumptuous



COATS are nothing if not graceful
and dignified this spring. There
is something about them that suggests
leisure, or at least deliberation. They
appear to be designed, not for hurrying
mortals, but for those who have
time to give heed to their draperies—
not to speak of hanging on to them.
It is quite the style to appear to hold
the wrap about the shoulders and it
must be conceded that this casual ad-
justment of the garment to the figure
has "chic" of its own. The pretty
model at the left of the two pictured
is showing us one way of following
the mode.

Both the coats pictured are repre-
sentatives of favored styles; they are
as much like mantles as coats. Even
the models that have set-in sleeves
are ample and rippling, managing to
follow—at a little distance—some-
thing of the vague and changing lines
approved by fashion which distinctly
favors wraps that may be described

as sumptuous. Each of these coats
is distinctly new in some style points.
The model at the left is made of one
of the heavier of spring pile fabrics
and has its unusual collar striped
with bands of black which may be of
patent leather or of ribbon. Beige-
colored coats with finishing and em-
bellishments of patent leather are
among the best of the season's offer-
ings.

The coat at the right might be more
accurately described as a mantle,
shaped into wide sleeves at the sides.
It is a very clever piece of designing
with its body gathered into a length
of the material which becomes a yoke,
collar and scarf, all in one. The scarf
ends are finished with handsome tas-
sels.

Julia Bottomley

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Twin City Notes

By M. E. WIGGINS in "Powergrams"

The Albany and Decatur offices are
to be congratulated upon securing the
services of J. Gill-Draper, who was
formerly Deputy Clerk in the Circuit
Clerk's office. He is proving to be
equally as useful as ornamental.

Bill Foster, bookkeeper in Albany,
who recently underwent an operation
at the local hospital is doing nicely
and we hope will be able to resume
his duties within the next ten days.

Garner Pride, Local Construction
Superintendent, was slightly injured
by falling from a pole, but after a
day's absence, reported back for light
work.

The Operating Department reports
the recent addition of a "lineman,"
Mr. Wm. R. Strain, who has already
proven to be very popular.

Mr. Sumpter Smith was with us for
several days in interest of the Dixie
Construction Company. We are al-
ways glad to have Mr. Smith, but
sorry that "Sears Roebuck" catalogue
seemed to be more entertaining than
the "Fair Sex" of the Albany office.

In reviewing our new work for the
year 1920, a very creditable showing
has been noted in Albany-Decatur-
Hartselle, and it might be of interest
to add that at the close of the year,
nineteen new customers were con-
nected on one work order. We are
anticipating an even more prosperous
year for 1921.

A short time ago, the Operating
Department received the following:
"Mr. Man, will you please come and
connect my light come on Cherry at
506 w Cherry My house ben wired
every since Sept please come at once
Lizzie". In addition to this, we have
quite a number of applications from
"colored section."

Albany-Decatur White-Way posts

666 is a prescription for Colds, Fe-
ver and LaGrippe. It's the most speedy
remedy we know.

UNITED STATES

MARSHAL'S SALE

Northern District of Alabama.
By virtue of an Order of Sale issued
out of the United States District
of Alabama, on the 22nd day of Janu-
ary, 1921, notice is hereby given
that I will sell by public auction, for
cash, on Monday, the 7th day of Feb.
1921, at 12 o'clock noon, at The
Wharf, foot of Bank Street, in the
City of Decatur, Alabama, to satisfy
an attachment of James S. Owens, et
als, the Gas Boat, Lame's Ferry, her
engines, boilers, machinery, boats,
tackle, apparel, appurtenances, and
furniture, as she now lies at the
Wharf in the City of Decatur, Ala.
H. A. Skeggs,
United States Marshal.
Jany 27-29, Feby 10th.

PROBE IS ORDERED ON COTTON HELD

(International News Service)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—A resolu-
tion authorizing directing the Senate
agricultural committee to investigate
the amount and grade of wheat and
cotton held in the United States at
present was introduced in the Senate
today by Senator Smith, Democrat, of
South Carolina.

NEW FRONT

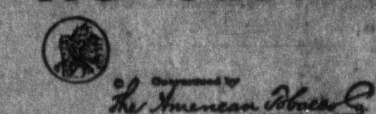
Owing to an accident, Wilder and
Ezell, recently lost a good part of the
plate glass that enclosed the front
of their building on Fourth Avenue.
Consequently the whole of the original
front has been taken away, and new
glass doors and windows inserted in
place. The job is now completed,
the new paint having been applied
yesterday.

Certificates of ability as a cook are
required of Norwegian girls before
they are permitted to marry.

Mantis insects are so pugnacious
that Chinese keep them in cages and
match them against each other.

LUCKY STRIKE cigarette

It's toasted



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DAY at the BEASON-COBB
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will break a Cold, Fever and Grippe
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in—

GRACEFUL STOUTS AND STEP-INS

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M. E. HARRIS

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TO OUR CUSTOMERS AND FRIENDS. GREETINGS:

After months of confusion in Business, which time
you nor we could not tell whether to go into High or
throw on the Brakes, everything seems to be nearing
Normal again, and we are receiving shipments of our
NEW SPRING MERCHANDISE.

We are now in position to know just how to Mark
Down our stock on hand to correspond with the New
Low Prices. We have done this, and it places us in a
position to sell goods in our line as LOW as the LOW-
EST, on Dependable Goods; and in addition to the
LOW PRICES, for the remainder of the month of Feb-
ruary we will give a FIVE Per Cent Discount for cash
with each purchase of \$1.00 or more.

We absolutely do not handle shoddy or second-hand
goods, neither do we handle Fire Sales or Bankrupt
Stocks; all our goods are nice and fresh from First
Hands.

We appreciate your trade, and all we ask is a trial
to prove what we have stated above. Come and see us.

Yours for a Square Deal,

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LOANS, INSURANCE, ETC.

6%—Ten year installments—loan on good dwellings. Allison & Woods. 10-17

INSURE BEFORE THE STORM—From all indications it seems that this is going to be an unusual season for Tornadoes. Is your property protected by Tornado Insurance? If not, we are ready to do so. Penney & Whitman, Albany, Ala. Eyster Bldg., Phone 25. 9-6t

WANTED

SIX MEN WANTED—\$400 a day. Bring \$15.00. Come ready to work between 8 A. M. and 9 A. M., Friday morning. Room 18. Mr. Warner, Decatur Cafe. No experience required. 10-11

WANTED—To borrow \$1,500.00 or \$2,000.00 for 1 year, first class security to offer for money. Address H. S. L., c/o Daily Office. 7-6t

WANTED—Sewing and altering room over Central National Bank, Mrs. Barnes, and Miss Pace. 7-6t

WANTED—Your vulcanizing from punctures to retreads eleven years experience backs every job factory methods reasonable prices service in city. Call J. A. Carlie at Webb's garage, Church Street, Decatur. 7-6-T

LOST AND FOUND

STRAYED—One large sandy sow. If you have information regarding her, please notify B. E. Johnson, Wilder Place. 10-3t

LOST—Black Umbrella, "I. T. R." Lex., Ky., cut on handle. Call Albany, 664. 8-3t

FOR SALE

LOOK—5 room house, barn and 20 acres land that will make bale cotton per acre 1-2 mile North west Flint, 1-4 mile highway. Ideal place for small truck or dairy farm. \$2000 with small cash payment balance like rent. See J. B. Leeman, Hartselle, Ala. 10-3t

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Polks Winter laying, golden bluff Leghorns, Southern raised, and bred for high egg production in pens No. 1 and 2, we have our Blue Ribbon winners, and two fine male birds heads these pens. We keep nothing but laying hens. Eggs from pens one and two are \$3.00 per 15. Yard flock \$2.00, we guarantee 12 chicks out of each setting or replace at half price. Polks Buff Leghorn Yards, Albany, Ala. 8-3t

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Red cockerels, prize winners; eggs \$3 setting. A. H. Iankes, phone Albany 150. 7-6t

MILLIONS of frost-proof cabbage plants, all varieties, \$1.25 per 1000; ship any day you say; guarantee to please you. Shoer Plant Co., Valdosta, Ga. 4-6t

FOR SALE—Cotton seed for planting. Wannamaker Cleveland, and Hagers, first year from original seed, first picking from cotton that produced a bale to the acre. \$2.50 per bushel. Place your orders early, as the supply is limited. Otto Moebes, Box 11, Albany, Ala. J26-tf

FOR SALE—Stove wood, blocks \$4 per load; split, \$5. Leave order with Dillehay & Putnam, 1335 Fourth avenue, south. J23 to F14

FOR SALE—Cash or Credit—One used Ford Coupelet. Dr. F. L. Chenault. 11

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I have spring samples from The Royal Tailors, Strauss Bros. and M. Bern & Co. This lot can't be beat for fine tailoring. All wool Suits from \$30.00 to \$45.00 made to measure. FR guaranteed. 213 Moulton, J. M. Saxe, Phone 437. 4-6t

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We do all kinds of crating for household goods. Also furniture repairing. Call 397 Albany. Dinmore Brothers. 24-tf

The Clancy Kids

Over Timmie's Head

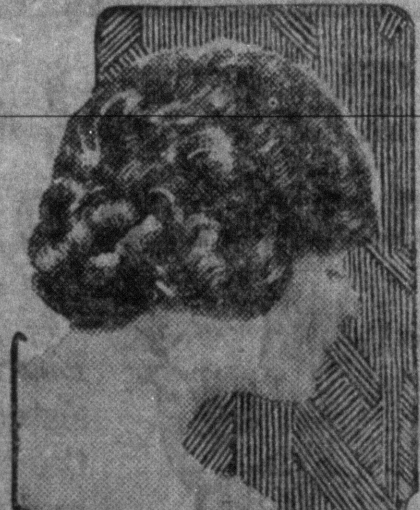


By PERCY L. CROSBY

NOTICE
I have bought the Albany shoe shining and pressing shop, and will assume the outstanding obligations all bills due the shop are due and payable to me. O. Z. Robertson. Adt 11

How to Tint Your Gray Hair at Home

If your hair is graying or is faded and streaked, do not despair. Come see more. No matter whether its original youthful color was golden or black, or any shade of brown, all you need is a bottle of Brownatone to instantly restore its beauty in a manner that



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Every package of Brownatone contains full, simple directions for working its magic on gray, faded or streaked hair. Guaranteed absolutely harmless. At all leading drug-gists in 50c and \$1.50 packages. Two colors: "Light" to Medium Brown and "Dark Brown to Black." Send to The Kanton Pharmaceutical Co., 538 Coplin Bldg., Covington, Ky., enclosing 4c in stamps to pay postage, packing and war tax for a free trial package of Brownatone.

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GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC is simply Iron and Quinine suspended in syrup. So pleasant even children like it. The blood needs Quinine to Purify it and Iron to Enrich it. Destroys Malarial germs and Grip germs by its Strengthening, Invigorating Effect. 60c.

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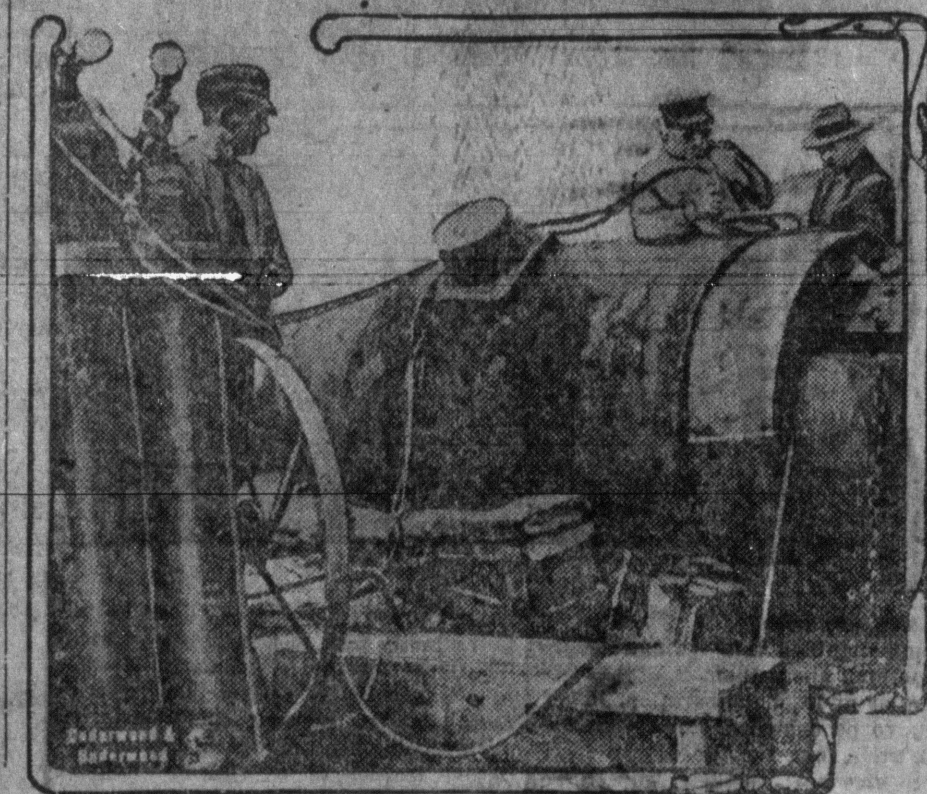
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Hens	18 to 20
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Eggs, Cased and Canded	.60 to .62 1/2
Hides	3 to 4
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Tallow	3 to 4
Beeswax	25
Country Scrap Iron	35 to 45
Ginseng (Wild)	\$9.00 to \$10.00
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Turkeys	30 cents

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A huge 28 CM. gun being cut by an acetylene torch during the dismantling of the powerful Kiel fortress in accordance with the Versailles Treaty.

WILL MADE IN 1903 PREDICTED WORLD WAR AND LEFT FORTUNE TO BE GIVEN TO WAR HEROES

(International News Service)
PARIS, Feb. 10.—How an Alsatian, faithful to France, predicted the war between Germany and France in 1903 is revealed in a clause of his will just made public.

After the war of 1870, in which he participated as a soldier of France, M. Metzger left Strasbourg and came to live at Saint Germain, near Paris. He died there in 1903 and in his will he left all his property to the town of Saint Germain on condition that they fulfill one wish he expressed in his will. This was to the effect that a new war between the two neighboring countries would shortly take place and that he wanted to recompense the valor of France's pollux whom he felt

WAS ALL RUN DOWN AFTER OPERATION

Avoided second operation and is now the picture of health.

"I had a very severe operation which left me in a miserable condition, badly constipated, female trouble, kidney trouble, stomach trouble, could not eat or sleep. I felt as if life was of no use to me. Several doctors told me that I would never be better until I had another operation. One year ago I commenced taking MILK EMULSION and I cannot praise it enough. I can eat and sleep like a baby and the people of this town have seen what MILK EMULSION has done for me and are now using it. It has been a God-send to me. I know it saved my life. I was nothing but a shadow of my former self when I began taking MILK EMULSION and now I look the picture of health. My parents are very thankful to you as my sickness had cost them hundreds of dollars."—Ethel Harrison, Salineville, Ohio.

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Albany High School Activities

The Palladian Literary Society met in regular meeting, Feb. 8. After a business meeting a study of Sidney Lanier was rendered in the following special program:

Sketch of Lanier's Life—Leonard Evans.
Personality of Lanier—Thelma Chenault.
Lanier's Prose Work—Kate Frazier.
Characteristics and contributions to American Literature—Elton Johnson.
Tampa Robins—Madelyn Troup.
My Springs—Geannie Chenault.
The work of Kate Frazier and Geannie Chenault claimed special praise.

LIONEL BARRIMORE IN "THE COPPERHEAD"

When Lionel Barrymore played "The Copperhead" on the stage, women and men alike went like children—rose from their seats and cheered. Now the patrons of this theatre will see this same great drama—enacted by a cast of thousands—with Barrymore in the title role! At the Delite Friday.

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DECEMBER 31, 1920

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	\$3,040,971.61	Capital Stock	\$ 150,000.00
Demand Loans	168,766.07	Surplus and Profits	184,110.97
Bonds and Stocks	220,564.50	Reserve for Depreciation	16,356.63
Overdrafts	716.94	Bills Payable	652,500.00
Banking Houses (16)	73,500.00	Rediscouts	36,000.00
Furniture & Fixtures	30,000.00	Deposits	3,025,165.27
Real Estate	9,792.56		
Cash and due from banks	519,821.28		
	\$4,064,132.86		\$4,064,132.86

The above statement does not include statement of the Peoples' Bank, Sheffield, Ala., which was merged with this Bank after close of business December 31, 1920.

cheap offerings which have often been so objectionable to State censorship boards."

Cecil B. Mille, director-general of the Famous Players-Lasky Corporation, said:

"The motion picture industry was never on a sounder business basis than at the present time. Such retrenchment as there has been on the last few weeks has been along the line of curtailment in wasteful and extravagant production methods and has differed little from the corresponding retrenchment in all industrial lines."

"Overproduction during the year of 1920 was responsible, in a measure, for the recent lessening of produc-

tion activities. But this has now been adjusted, and the motion picture industry is facing the era of its greatest prosperity. Production activities at the Lasky studio alone at the present moment exceed the mark set at any time during the past six or eight months."

Kidney disorders cause much distress of mind and body. Such ailments should not be neglected because they lead to diseases that are dangerous. Prickly Ash Bitters is a splendid tonic for men. It strengthens the kidneys and purifies the stomach and bowels. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Sold by all druggists.—Adv.

DEATH REVEALS LOVE OF HERMIT FOR PETS

(International News Service)
SWAN, Neb., Feb. 10.—When Silas Breen, sixty-eight, bachelor farmer, failed to appear at the post office for his mail for a few weeks, and neighbors investigated.

Breen's body was found in his home practically eaten away by the cats and dogs which he had kept. He died of smallpox. Among the animals

found about the place were eleven small poodles, one dachshund, three water spaniels, one St. Bernard, eleven bulldogs, three Scotch collies, five airdales and sixteen mongrels. A total of fifty dogs, thirty-seven cats, a cellar infested with white mice, the remains of a dozen canary cages, several broken bowls of goldfish and a barryard of animals dying of starvation were among the effects of the dead man.

Breen had not been known as a recluse and had appeared normal in every respect. He had few visitors and thus his peculiar hobby of collecting animals was unknown.

In his writing desk was found an

envelope containing \$4,500 in bills and a note asking that his animals be provided for in case of his death until a home could be found for them.

Breen came to Holt County, Neb., many years ago. His wife ran away with another man. He married again, but his second wife died during the honeymoon and Breen returned to his ranch.

He was born and spent his boyhood days on a farm near LaSalle, Ill. Ten years ago he made a third attempt at matrimony. With the birth of a son, who died in infancy, the woman became an invalid and Breen spent all of a good fortune on her, but she died.

MADE LIVING SLIPPING

ON BANANA PEELS
(International News Service)
CAMDEN, N. J., Feb. 10.—Frank Smith, of Philadelphia, is listed by the police here as a "professional banana peel slipper." He made a living, it is alleged, by doing plain and fancy falls, after skidding on banana peels dropped in his path by a confederate. They would always occur on railroad or street cars and after the fall Smith would present a claim for damages to the company and receive a fat check in settlement. But he skidded once too often, for when he entered the office of the Public Service Railway Company here asking for damages for

a fall in one of their street cars he was placed under arrest. The police say he admitted this newest of "skin games" and the court sentenced him to six months in jail.

Thumb prints for identification purposes were used by the Chinese as early as 200 B. C.

More than one thousand persons lost their lives in the draft riots of New York in 1863.

Natives of Labrador use fragrant crushed leaves of a species of heath as a substitute for tea.

THROUGH THIS \$40,000.00 PURCHASE, WE CAN NOW QUOTE YOU A FEW PRICES. HERE THEY ARE:

36 in. Bleaching, per yard 12c	36 inch Brown Sheeting, per yd. 8c	Outing, per yard 10c	Apron Gingham, per yard 10c
Overalls, per pair 98c	Dress Gingham, per yard 12c	Sale Opens Sat., Feb. 12 FOR 15 DAYS MARK THE TIME AND PLACE	
Rubber Shoes for Men and Women 79c	Raincoats for Men and Women \$2.89	Children's Union Suits 49c	Union Suits for Men and Women 98c

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MEN'S SUITS Bankrupt Sale Price \$4.98	\$10.00 SILK SHIRTS \$3.98	Men's Work Shirts 69c	Men's Gray Socks 5c	LADIES' WAISTS 49c
FLEECE LINED SHIRTS AND DRAWERS 49c	MEN'S FINE SHIRTS 95c	MEN'S HATS \$1.39	2 IN 1 SHOE POLISH 5c	Children's Solid Leather Shoes 95c
WOMEN'S SHOES \$1.98	MEN'S SHOES \$2.49	WOMEN'S SUITS \$8.98	WOMEN'S HOUSE DRESSES 69c	Come Early and Get First Choice S. E. ORY 607 Second Ave. Albany, Alabama

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THE CLANCY KIDS



So There's an End of It

By PERCY L. CROSBY
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WILL QUIT THE SADDEST JOB IN WHOLE NEW YORK CITY TO WED

Written by MARGERY REX for the International News Service.
NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—She's had the saddest job in New York for all of ten years, and has dispensed sympathy and good cheer to thousands in that time.

Now she's going to spend the rest of her life making things bright and cheerful for one fortunate man.

This is Miss Marion Sullivan, "official comfortress" of Bellevue Hospital, who, in her job of dispensing death certificates, has also taken advantage of the opportunity afforded to sympathize with bereaved ones, and give a

human touch to the machinery of a great hospital.

Miss Sullivan is leaving soon to be married.

"I've really done nothing but my duty," demurred Miss Sullivan when I saw her at Bellevue. "About a dozen people a day come here to get the certificates and they are sorrowful and sad—what can anyone do but try to comfort them?"

Sitting at her official desk, wearing a simple dark skirt, with blouse and a pale blue sweater that matches her eyes, Miss Sullivan looks like anything but a handmaiden of the Fates when they choose to measure life with their yardsticks and snip it off.

Refused to Become Morbid

"People have asked me if I didn't get very much depressed. I don't. I feel that it is best for me to be as cheerful as possible and try to raise the spirits of the saddened relatives and friends who come to me," she said.

"Maybe some persons would get morbid in such a job, but I never allow myself to feel that way about it. I remember that it is my place to be pleasing and consoling, even though I feel as sad about the case as the relatives do."

Picture the hospital death, that of the patient who dies in a ward. Scenery is hastily drawn about the death bed. Soon the body is wheeled into another part of the hospital. Everything is so done that there will be as little as possible to disturb adjoining patients. The procedure is somewhat similar in the case of the private room patient.

Relatives or friends, who have been notified to visit a dying patient, witness the shuffling out of a life and the body's hurried departure from the hospital, have reached the depths of despair.

What effect would constant association with the saddened and heartsteeled have upon a bright, happy young girl. That depends on the girl, is the obvious answer.

And that is the opinion of Miss Sullivan.

With the "saddest job in New York" she has managed to preserve a hearty laugh to greet the idea that she is heroic or anything of that sort.

Sorry to Leave Hospital
"I feel rather sad about leaving Bellevue," she said, "rather than sad about anything connected with this job itself. Everyone has been so nice and cheerful here that I couldn't possibly not like the work."

"Isn't it funny that they say 'know more undertakers than any girl in New York.' I do know a few, but not so terribly many."

New Immigration Bill Reported Out

(International News Service)
WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The number of immigrants admitted into this country in any fiscal year on an after April 1, 1921, would be restricted to five per cent of the number of foreign born residents as determined by the 1910 census under a bill reported favorably to the Senate today by the Senate immigration committee. The committee had previously rejected the Johnson bill, suspending all immigration for one year, passed by the House.

The bill, if passed, would remain in effect only until June 30, 1922.

Javanese natives are addicted to smoking opium.



Last Night's Dreams

—What They Mean

DO YOU DREAM OF GHOSTS?

SOMETIMES one dreams of seeing a ghost. Not a dead person appearing to him as if in life and taken by the dream consciousness as living, but a ghost such as we read about in "creepy" stories such as furnishes the motive power for ouija boards; dim phantoms flitting through dreamland. Don't be scared if you have such a dream; the mystics know all about these apparitions. If the phantom appears clad in white it is an omen that you will increase in prosperity if you are prosperous now and attain prosperity if you are unprosperous. Some happiness is soon to be yours from an unexpected source. The farmer's fields will yield abundant harvests and the sailor's ship come safe to port.

If the phantom is clad in black the omen is not so favorable. In that case you must be careful of your money affairs, and if you want the good things of this life be prepared to struggle for them.

Those who have dreamed of a hobgoblin or specter are advised by the oracles not to contract debts—at all times good advice—and not to go on a journey far a month if the specter wears black.

And speaking of spirits, Dr. T. Radcliffe, the eminent English dream investigator, as a result of his investigation became fully convinced of the existence in man of a spirit. In his book he says: "Dream phenomena is utterly unintelligible unless there be in man a spirit which participates in the nature of the Creator so far as not only to be superior to time and space but also truly creative."

Radcliffe's writings represent the extreme of one school of scientists just as the extreme of the other school is represented by men like Scherner, who would find the origin of a dream of hobgoblins in a case of stomach-ache.

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THE ROMANCE OF WORDS

"NEWS."

POPULAR etymology, which is akin to "freside law," states that the word "news" is derived from the initials of the four points of the compass—North, East, West and South—and that the weather-vane symbol was placed at the top of a number of the earlier newspapers to indicate that they collected their information from all parts of the earth. The latter statement may be true, but the former can hardly be credited for the reason that the word "news" was used by Shakespeare some fifty years or more before the publication of the first newspaper.

A study of the equivalent word in German and other languages will further show the fallacy of the compass-theory. The Teutonic word is neugeltent and the French nouvelles and it is impossible for either one of these to be derived from the points of the compass which, in the two languages, are represented by the letters "N. O. W. S." and "N. E. O. S." The German das neue appears to be much closer to the English "news," but the word was really derived from the Anglo-Saxon niwes, as clearly indicated by Berner's translation of Froissart, published in 1500, in which it is spelled "newes."

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Tests of Strength.
Tests of muscular strength under various conditions have given results that should be useful in promoting labor efficiency. The human machine is weakened by a continuous temperature above 80 degrees F., but is aided by a humidity of 70 to 80 per cent. The effects of over-fatigue may persist one or more days, while fatigue is increased by such influences as close application and depressing surroundings. Working together at one task, men curiously tend to become standardized or equal in strength.

Warning to Wireless Fiends.
Radio amateurs should never fail to close the ground switch when leaving their apparatus. For an aerial attracts lightning and a thunderstorm may come up when the operator is absent. If it does, and the lightning is led into the house, the amateur will find his apparatus out of business, wrecked beyond repair, to say nothing of the possibility of the house being set on fire.

Decatur Business Men Are Winners

The Decatur Business Men were winners over the Car Department in last night's game in the "Y" bowling tournament, rolling up a team average of 144 4-15 pins, one of the highest averages of the year.

The scores follow:

Decatur Business Men			
Geison	140	154	159
Morrow	186	158	169
O. Sims	111	130	131
B. O. Sims	130	156	118
Brown	164	135	123
Car Department			
Weatherly	156	126	161
Wagner	127	143	100
Hames	111	106	186
Hollingsworth	124	103	128
Vernon	98	91	***
Hartung	***	***	141

Carbon Ink Best at Present

If an ink could be produced possessing the desirable properties of perfect fluidity and being non-depositing, and at the same time incapable of being decolorized by oxidizing or reducing agents, there would be good reason to believe that the writing done by such an ink would be practically permanent. In the meantime, when writing is of an important nature and is desired to endure, some form of carbon ink appears to be the only trustworthy preparation.—Exchange.

Value of Assumption

"Bliggins pretends that he knows everybody."

"Yes," replied Miss Cavenne; "and in that way he really gets acquainted with a lot of people who think he will introduce them to a lot of other people."

Joseph Jefferson appeared on the stage in "Pizarro" when only three years old.

Here Is a Fine Laxative For a Little Baby

Millions of Mothers find Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin safe for infants

WHAT young mother has not often asked herself the question, "What is the best thing I can give my baby for constipation?" It is a very important question, as constipation is the basis of most ills of infancy and childhood.

Give half a teaspoonful of a combination of simple laxative herbs with pepsin. You can obtain it at any drug store under the name of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It is a mild, gentle medicine that children willingly take, and a bottle that costs only sixty cents is enough to last an average family several months.

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin has been used by millions of mothers, for the prescription has been sold in drug stores for thirty years. It is the same prescription Dr. W. B. Caldwell, who is now in his 82nd year, used in his extensive practice for half a century. It is the largest selling liquid laxative in the world. Last year eight million bottles were bought in drug stores.

You can make no mistake in giving Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin to your baby.



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You can put in \$5 a week; in 50 weeks you have \$250. You can put in \$10 a week; in 50 weeks you have \$500. You can put in \$20 a week; in 50 weeks you have \$1,000. Don't stop then. Put in FIFTY or a HUNDRED dollars a week and in 50 weeks accumulate \$2,500 or \$5,000.

Do this for FIVE YEARS, let the money STAY in our bank and see what it will amount to—why, it's a FORTUNE. Put every one of your family in the Club. Read the following plans:

INCREASING CLUB PLAN
Put in 1c, 2c, 5c or 10c the first week. INCREASE your 1c, 2c, 5c or 10c each week. In 50 weeks:
1c Club pays \$12.75 5c Club pays \$ 63.75
2c Club pays \$25.50 10c Club pays \$127.50

EVEN AMOUNT CLUB PLAN
Put in the SAME AMOUNT each week. In 50 weeks:
25c Club pays \$12.50 \$2.00 Club pays \$100.00
50c Club pays \$25.00 \$5.00 Club pays \$250.00
\$1.00 Club pays \$50.00 \$10.00 Club pays \$500.00
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